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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

Jill MCFADDEN, et al.

Serial No.: 09/097,023

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For: CATHETER WITH KNIT SECTION

Examiner: E. Kline

Group Art Unit: 3734

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated July 6, 1999, paper No. 7, for which a response is due on October 6, 1999. A petition for a one-month extension of time is filed herewith to extend the time for response from October 6, 1999 to November 8, 1999, since November 6, 1999 is Saturday. Reconsideration and reexamination is respectfully requested.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 23 and 49 without the prejudice of later renewal.